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**To:** [Stephen Tzhone/R6/USEPA/US@EPA](#)  
**Subject:** FW: San Jacinto: Additional Fencing, Signs, and Buoy System  
**Date:** 10/25/2010 06:24 PM

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Steve – FYI below on the fencing access issue.

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**From:** Axe, Al [<mailto:aaxe@winstead.com>]  
**Sent:** Monday, October 25, 2010 6:22 PM  
**To:** David Keith; 'Inglin, Sonja A.'  
**Subject:** RE: San Jacinto: Additional Fencing, Signs, and Buoy System

David,

We have access for the additional fencing from TxDOT but not yet from Big Star. We have sent a revised draft of the access agreement to Big Star and it is under review by Big Star's attorney. We are optimistic that we will have this agreement in place soon. The agreement will also cover sampling of the Big Star property in accordance with the approved sampling plan. Al

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**To:** Axe, Al; Inglin, Sonja A.  
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Al and Sonja – Please see the email below from Steve Tzhone. Are there any lingering access issues on the additional fencing that would prevent us from going forward with that installation? Last I heard, we have access with TxDOT but I don't recall where we are on access for Big Star and the fencing...

Let me know and I will get back to Steve.

Thanks,  
David

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**To:** David Keith  
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Good, that covers the buoy system, implement as soon as that's finalized.

What about the phase II fencing portion... same TCRA contractor for implementation? Any access issues?

Thanks,

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We are working out the final contracting issues with the U.S. Environmental – the TCRA contractor – and they will be installing the buoys and the signs.

From: Stephen Tzhone/R6/USEPA/US  
To: David Keith <dkeith@anchorqea.com>  
Date: 10/25/2010 05:18 PM  
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Hi David:

What's the status on this?

Thanks,

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Date: 09/16/2010 11:05 AM  
Subject: San Jacinto: Additional Fencing, Signs, and Buoy System

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Hi David:

EPA approves of the additional information on the signs around the impoundments and the buoy system in the river. Proceed with field implementation and continue to coordinate with USCG, POHA, and TPWD, as appropriate.

Thanks,

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Subject: RE: San Jacinto Fencing

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Steve – As requested in your email below, please see the attached proposed layout and design for signs and buoys at the San Jacinto impoundments.

Thanks,  
David

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Hi David:

EPA approves of the proposal and authorizes implementation with these additions:

1) Utilize signs already approved by the community awareness committee, in addition to the no trespassing sign detailed in exhibit A-2. All these signs should be placed on the existing fence, the phase II fence, and around the impoundments perimeter.

2) Signs specifically around the impoundments perimeter and in the river: Consult with the Coast Guard, POHA, and TPWD on the proposed activity and integrate any engineering specifications or restrictions into the final signs design (i.e., reflective lettering, sign lights in waterway, etc.). If any of these waterway agencies (i.e., Coast Guard, POHA, or TPWD) will be the enforcer for trespassing via the river, offer them an opportunity to put their logo on the signs as well. In addition, the final signs design and any attached support structure should be designed (i.e., signs on posts on temporary bases, etc.) so that they can be relocated, if necessary, for upcoming cleanup actions.

3) Proceed with field implementation on the fences and signs on the fences as soon as access is secured. However, before any of the signs specifically around the impoundments perimeter and in the river are field implemented, submit an addendum to this proposal detailing the final signs design (i.e., the signs and any attached support structures), as well as, the contact personnel of the respective agencies that have been consulted.

Thanks,

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Steve – As we have discussed on the phone, please see the attached letter concerning potentially extending the fencing and placing additional signs to deter trespassing at the San Jacinto Waste Impoundments. As always, don't hesitate to contact me if you need to discuss anything.

Thank you,  
David

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